Beyond GW's efforts in Virginia, Chairman Ramsey has worked to elevate GW to the status of a world-class institution leading the search for GW's 16th president, Dr. Steven Knapp, overseeing a remarkable growth in fundraising, and guiding GW to make new investments in scientific research, technology transfer and entrepreneurshin

Russ Ramsey is himself a successful entrepreneur, having built multibillion-dollar businesses primarily in the fields of investment banking and money management. He is most widely known as cofounder of Friedman, Billings, Ramsey Group. In 2001, he founded Ramsey Asset Management, a long/short equity hedge fund based in McLean, VA, where he is chairman, CEO, and CIO today.

He attended the George Washington University School of Business on a baseball scholarship and earned his bachelor of business administration in 1981. He is a native Washingtonian and lives with his wife Norma and their four children in Northern Virginia. Through the W. Russell and Norma G. Ramsey Foundation, they are actively committed to philanthropic causes dedicated to at-risk families through education and health programs. The Ramsevs are founding investors of Venture Philanthropy Partners, which has invested nearly \$80 million in nonprofits in the greater Washington area over the last 10 years.

Please join me in congratulating my friend Russ Ramsey for all of his contributions to the George Washington University, the Commonwealth of Virginia, and the greater Washington region. ●

RECOGNIZING REBEKAH FORMAN

• Mr. BARRASSO. Madam President, I would like to take the opportunity to express my appreciation to Rebekah Forman for her continued hard work as an intern in my Cheyenne office. I recognize her efforts and contributions to my office as well as to the State of Wyoming.

Rebekah is a native of Sheridan, WY, and a graduate of Sheridan High School. She currently attends the Laramie County Community College. She has once again demonstrated a strong work ethic, which has made her an invaluable asset to our office. The quality of her work is reflected in her great efforts over the last several months.

I thank Rebekah for the dedication she has shown while working for me and my staff. It was a pleasure to have her as part of our team. I know she will have continued success with all of her future endeavors. I wish her all my best on her next journey.

RECOGNIZING BRANDI HAUPT

• Mr. BARRASSO. Madam President, I would like to take the opportunity to express my appreciation to Brandi Haupt for her hard work as an intern in

my Casper office. I recognize her efforts and contributions to my office as well as to the State of Wyoming.

Brandi is a native of Casper, WY, and is a graduate of Kelly Walsh High School. She currently attends Casper College, where she is majoring in chemistry and prepharmacy. She has demonstrated a strong work ethic, which has made her an invaluable asset to our office. The quality of her work is reflected in his great efforts over the last several months.

I thank Brandi for the dedication she has shown while working for me and my staff. It was a pleasure to have her as part of our team. I know she will have continued success with all of her future endeavors. I wish her all my best on her next journey.

RECOGNIZING DUSTIN HONAKER

• Mr. BARRASSO. Madam President, I would like to take the opportunity to express my appreciation to Dustin Honaker for his hard work as an intern in my Republican policy committee office. I recognize his efforts and contributions to my office as well as to the State of Wyoming.

Dustin is a native of Rock Springs, WY. He is a graduate of the University of Wyoming, where he earned a degree in political science. He has demonstrated a strong work ethic, which has made him an invaluable asset to our office. The quality of his work is reflected in his great efforts over the last several months.

I thank Dustin for the dedication he has shown while working for me and my staff. It was a pleasure to have him as part of our team. I know he will have continued success with all of his future endeavors. I wish him all my best on his next journey.

RECOGNIZING BROUCK KUCZYNSKI

• Mr. BARRASSO. Madam President, I would like to take the opportunity to express my appreciation to Brouck Kuczynski for her hard work as an intern in my Republican policy committee office. I recognize her efforts and contributions to my office as well as to the State of Wyoming.

Brouck is a native of Virginia and a graduate of Villanova University in Pennsylvania. She currently attends the University of Pittsburgh School of Law, where she is expected to graduate in a few weeks. She has demonstrated a strong work ethic, which has made her an invaluable asset to our office. The quality of her work is reflected in her great efforts over the last several months.

I thank Brouck for the dedication she has shown while working for me and my staff. It was a pleasure to have her as part of our team. I know she will have continued success with all of her future endeavors. I wish her all my best on her next journey.

RECOGNIZING CHRIS PERRY

• Mr. BARRASSO. Madam President, I would like to take the opportunity to express my appreciation to Chris Perry for his hard work as an intern in my Casper office. I recognize his efforts and contributions to my office as well as to the State of Wyoming.

Chris is from Casper, WY, and a graduate of Natrona County High School. He currently attends Casper College, where he is majoring in business administration. He has demonstrated a strong work ethic, which has made him an invaluable asset to our office. The quality of his work is reflected in his great efforts over the last several months.

I thank Chris for the dedication he has shown while working for me and my staff. It was a pleasure to have him as part of our team. I know he will have continued success with all of his future endeavors. I wish him all my best on his next journey.

RECOGNIZING AMBER PRICE

• Mr. BARRASSO. Madam President, I would like to take the opportunity to express my appreciation to Amber Price for her hard work as an intern in my Washington, DC, office. I recognize her efforts and contributions to my office as well as to the State of Wyoming.

Amber is a native of Gilbert, AZ. She graduated from the University of California, San Diego, with a degree in political science. She has demonstrated a strong work ethic, which has made her an invaluable asset to our office. The quality of her work is reflected in her great efforts over the last several months.

I thank Amber for the dedication she has shown while working for me and my staff. It was a pleasure to have her as part of our team. I know she will have continued success with all of her future endeavors. I wish her all my best on her next journey.

RECOGNIZING ADAM STAHL

• Mr. BARRASSO. Madam President, I would like to take the opportunity to express my appreciation to Adam Stahl for his hard work as an intern in my Washington, DC, office. I recognize his efforts and contributions to my office as well as to the State of Wyoming.

Adam is a native of Guilford, CT, and a graduate of the University of Rochester, where he earned a degree in history. He has demonstrated a strong work ethic, which has made him an invaluable asset to our office. The quality of his work is reflected in his great efforts over the last several months.

I thank Adam for the dedication he has shown while working for me and my staff. It was a pleasure to have him as part of our team. I know he will have continued success with all of his future endeavors. I wish him all my best on his next journey.